

February 18, 2009

Bill Watson NH Department of Transportation 7 Hazen Drive, P.O. Box 483 Concord, NH 03302-0483

RE:

STIP Minor Revision - February 2009

Dear Bill:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the Nashua Regional Planning Commission (NRPC) has considered the February 2009 Minor Revision to the 2009-2012 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to:

- Project # 11512I (BEDFORD-MANCHESTER-LONDONDERRY-MERRIMACK): AIRPORT ACCESS ROAD Widen FE Everett Turnpike
 - Construction date and total Funding adjustment:
 - o Existing Construction date: 2011-2012; Proposed Construction date: 2009.
 - Existing Funding: \$12.938 mil; Proposed Funding: \$13.983 mil.
- Project # 11512J (BEDFORD-MANCHESTER-LONDONDERRY-MERRIMACK): AIRPORT ACCESS ROAD Earthwork contract west of the Merrimack River
 - Construction date and total Funding adjustment:
 - Existing Construction date: 2010-2011; Proposed Construction date: 2009.
 - o Existing Funding: \$8.173 mil; Proposed Funding: \$8.973 mil.
- Project # 607 (NASHUA TRANSIT SYSTEM): BUS EQUIPMENT
 - Funding Adjustment:
 - Existing Funding: 2009/\$1.1mil; Proposed Funding: 2009/\$1.4mil.
 - The additional Funding (\$.300mil) will be added to FY2009.
- Project # 3797 (NASHUA TRANSIT SYSTEM): CAPITAL EQUIPMENT
 - Funding Adjustment:
 - o Existing Funding: 2009-2012/\$.426mil; Proposed Funding: 2009-2012/\$.576mil.
 - o The additional funding (\$.150mil) will be added to FY2009.
- Project # 10136 (MILFORD TO NASHUA NH101A): roadway improvements from NH101 to FEE Turnpike (7.5 mlles)
 - Existing Preliminary Engineering: 2009, 2011; Proposed PE 2010,2011
 - Existing Right of Way: 2010, 2012 Proposed ROW: 2010, 2011
 - Existing Funding: 2009-2012/\$3.853mil Proposed funding 2009-2012:\$3.852
- Project # 10136A (NASHUA NH101A): widening between Celina Avenue intersection to Amherst St Mall (1.5 miles).
 - Existing Preliminary Engineering: 2010, 2011; Proposed PE 2009
 - Existing Right of Way: 2011 Proposed ROW: 2010
 - Existing Funding: 2009-2012/\$6.704mil Proposed funding 2009-2012: \$6.678.

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- Project # 10040A (NASHUA BROAD STREET PARKWAY): Second river bridge crossing over Nashua River
 - Existing Preliminary Engineering Funding: 2009, 2010: \$2.407 Mil.; Proposed PE Funding: 2009, 2010: \$2.807 (Increase of \$400,000 for PE in 2009, 2010)
- Project # 14491# (PELHAM): Improvements to two intersections; Main St/Nashua Rd & Old Bridge St/Common St.)
 - o Existing Preliminary Engineering: 2009; Proposed PE 2009, 2010
 - Existing Right of Way: 2009 Proposed ROW: 2009, 2010
 - o Existing Funding: 2009-2012/ \$3.731mil Proposed funding 2009-2012: \$3.857.
- Various STATEWIDE projects.

The proposed revisions meet the requirements of the Nashua MPO expedited project selection procedures. NRPC concurs with the proposed changes and supports the reallocation of funds among Fiscal Years, If you have any questions or comments regarding the approval of this minor revision do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

NASHUA REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

Steve Villiams

Stephen Williams **Executive Director**

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